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LAW DEPARTMENT
SECRETARIAT : AGARTALA

No.F.-2(7)-LAW/ESTT.2/2013/6993-7002 **Dated, Agartala the 3rd August, 2019.**

NOTIFICATION

In compliance of the order dated 24.10.2018 and subsequent order dated 30.04.2019 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India passed in Contempt Petition(C)No(s). 425-426/2015 arising out of WP(C) No.523 of 2002 (Justice V.S. Dave, President, The Association of Retired Judges of Supreme Court and High Courts Vs. Kusumjit Singh & Ord.) and in exercise of the powers conferred under Sub-section (2) of Section 23 D of the High Court Judges (Conditions of Service) Act, 1954, the State Government hereby makes the following rules, to further amend the Medical Facilities for the Retired Judges of the High Court of Tripura and their Familics Rulcs, 2017:-

2. **Short Title and commencement:**

(1) These Rules may be called "The Medical Facilities for the Retired Judges of the High Court of Tripura and their Families (Second Amendment) Rules, 2019";

(2) They shall come into force on and from the date of their publication in the Tripura Gazette.

3. **Amendment of Rule 3 :**

(1) In sub rule (i) of Rule 3, the expression "members of his family" shall be substituted by the expression "dependent members of his family".

(2) Sub rule (ii) of Rule 3, shall be substituted with the following-

"(ii) A Retired Judge shall be entitled to medical reimbursement for medical treatment for himself and his dependent family members in any private Hospital/Nursing Home inside and outside the State, without prior approval of the State Government."

(3) Sub-rule (iv) of Rule 3, shall be substituted with the following-

"(iv) A Retired Judge and his dependent family members shall be entitled to the assistance of a Liaison Officer or an Escort for medical treatment and transport for medical treatment, at any other location, outside the State."

(4) In sub-rule (v) of Rule 3, before the expression "High Court of Tripura" the expression "Registrar General" shall be added.

(5) **Insertion of new sub rule (vi):**

"(vi) To introduce cashless medical treatment for the retired Chief Justices and retired Judges of the High Court of Tripura and their dependent family members, endeavour shall be made to make agreement with the empanelled or other private hospitals based on deferred payment basis."

By order and on behalf of the Governor, Tripura

31/8/19

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